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Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command Awards Contract

SAN DIEGO — Smiths Detection Inc., Edgewood, Md. is being awarded an \$8,060,422 cost-plus-incentive fee/award-fee contract for a Meteorological Mobile Facility (METMF) replacement (R) next generation (NEXGEN) prototype. The METMF(R) NEXGEN contract has been awarded to design, fabricate, integrate, deliver and test a prototype METMF(R) NEXGEN system that will replace the legacy METMF(R) using current and emerging state-of-the-art technologies to offer smaller size and increased mobility/scalability, which will significantly improve the provision of meteorological and oceanographic support to the Marine Air Ground Task Force in every clime and place. This contract includes options, which, if exercised, would bring the cumulative value of this contract to an estimated \$11,320,209. Work will be performed in Edgewood, Md., and is expected to be completed by April 2008 (Sept. 2009 with options). Contract funds will not expire at the end of the current fiscal year. This contract was competitively procured with unlimited proposals solicited and two offers received via the Commerce Business Daily's Federal Business Opportunities website, and the SPAWAR e-Commerce Central website. The Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego, Calif., is the contracting activity (N00039-06-C-0032).

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